



Docket No.: 1614.1388

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

In re the Application of:

Takahiro HASEGAWA

Serial No. 10/784,157

Group Art Unit: 2189

Confirmation No.

Filed: February 24, 2004

Examiner: H. L. Flournoy

For: METHOD AND APPARATUS FOR BACKING UP DATA IN VIRTUAL STORAGE  
MEDIUM

**AMENDMENT**

Commissioner for Patents  
PO Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

This is in response to the Office Action mailed April 3, 2007, and having a period for response set to expire on July 3, 2007. A Petition for a one-month extension of time, together with the requisite fee for same, is submitted herewith, thereby extending the period for response to August 3, 2007.

The following amendments and remarks are respectfully submitted. Reconsideration of the claims is respectfully requested.

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